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Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Atty. Docket No. 86.1002

Sir:

TRANSMITTED HERewith FOR FILING IS A "SMALL ENTITY" PATENT APPLICATION

OF: Christopher J. Riddick et al
FOR: MEDIA PROTECTION SYSTEM AND METHOD AND HARDWARE
DECRYPTION MODULE USED THEREIN

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- 1. ☒ Specification of 27 pages. 1a. ☐ Foreign Language
- 2. ☒ Claims 24 in number (5 pages).
- 3. ☒ Abstract (1 page).
- 4. ☒ Drawings. ☐ formal ☒ informal 9 sheets ☐ no drawings.
- 5. ☒ Filing Fee. (See (12) below).
- 6. ☒ Declaration(s) signed by the named inventor(s).
- 7. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
- 8. ☐ An assignment to _____.
- 9. ☐ Certified copy of priority document(s),
the priority of which is hereby claimed.
- 10. ☐ Preliminary Amendment.
- 11. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
- 12. ☐ Other: _____

The filing fee is calculated below: SMALL ENTITY CLAIMED ABOVE

FOR	No. Filed	Basic	No. Extra	Rate \$	Calculations
Total Claims	24	20	4	\$ 18.00	\$ 72.00
Indep. Claims	3	3	0	\$ 80.00	\$ 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims				\$270.00	\$ 0.00
BASIC FEE					\$ 710.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS					\$ 782.00
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TOTAL FILING FEE					\$ 391.00
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TOTAL OF FILING AND ASSIGNMENT RECORDING FEES					\$ 391.00

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☒ In the event that a petition for an extension of time is required to be submitted herewith, and in the event that a separate petition does not accompany this response, applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time for as many months as are required to render this submission timely. Any fee due is authorized.

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